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SUMMARY OF INTERVIEW

Attendees, Date and Type of Interview

The interview was conducted on October 19, 2009 and attended by Examiner Kevin Kai Hill and Applicants' representative Daniel Hart.

Exhibits and/or Demonstrations

None

Identification of Claims Discussed

Claims 15, 27, 36, 42

Identification of Prior Art Discussed

Norris et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,2712,359), Kristoffersen et al. (Appl. Environ. Microbiol. 66(12):5524-5526, 2000).

Proposed Amendments

Amendment of Claim 15 to recite an additional construct as provided in the amended claims submitted herewith was discussed.

Principal Arguments and Other Matters

Applicants' representative maintained that Norris et al. and Kristoffersen et al. do not teach or suggest the additional construct recited in amended Claim 15.

Results of Interview

The Examiner agreed that the proposed amendments appeared to overcome the art of record.